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Applicants hereby requests a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 11, 2004, making a response due on September 11, 2004. Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed with this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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| Name ———————————————————————————————————— | 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | | |
| The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments | 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | | |
| Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s) | 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | | |
| Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee | 1805 | 1.840* | 1805 | 1 840* | Requesting publication of SIR after | | |
| to the above-identified deposit account. | 1003 | 1,040 | 1003 | 1,040 | Examiner action | | |
| FEE CALCULATION | 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | 55 | |
| 1. BASIC FILING FEE | 1252 | 420 | 2252 | 210 | Extension for reply within second month | | |
| Large Entity Small Entity | 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | | |
| Fee Fee Fee Fee Pee Paid Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$) | 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 | 740 | Extension for reply within fourth month | | |
| 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee | 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 | 1,005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | | |
| 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee | 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | <u> </u> | |
| 1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee | 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | | |
| 1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee | 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | | |
| 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee | 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) -0- | 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | | |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE | 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | | |
| Fee from | 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | | |
| Extra Claims below Fee Paid Total Claims 20** = X = | 1502 | 480 | 2502 | | Design issue fee | | |
| Independent 3** - V | 1503 | 640 | 2503 | | Plant issue fee | | |
| Claims | 1460 | 130 | 1460 | | Petitions to the Commissioner | | |
| | 1807 | 50 | 1807 | | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | | |
| Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description | 1806 | 180 | 1806 | | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | | |
| Code (\$) Code (\$) | 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 1 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | | |
| 1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3 | 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | | |
| 1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 | For each additional invention to be | | |
| 1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims | 10.0 | | | | examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | | |
| over original patent | 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 | | | |
| 1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | | |
| | Other fee (specify) | | | | | | |
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